MAYOR & COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

MEETING DATE:

July 17, 2006

CALL TO PODIUM:

Jim Arnoult

RESPONSIBLE STAFF:

Jim Arnoult Louise Kauffman

AGENDA ITEM:

(please check one)

	Presentation
	Proclamation/Certificate
	Appointment
	Public Hearing
	Historic District
X	Consent Item
	Ordinance
	Resolution
	Policy Discussion
	Work Session Discussion Item
	Other:

PUBLIC HEARING HISTORY:

(Please complete this section if agenda item is a public hearing)

Introduced	
Advertised	
Hearing Date	
Record Held Open	
Policy Discussion	

TITLE:

Resolution of the Mayor and City Council of Gaithersburg Authorizing the City Manager to Enter Into a Contract to Construct a Hiker Biker Trail on North Summit Avenue (\$92,740)

SUPPORTING BACKGROUND:

Recently, the City of Gaithersburg was awarded a \$75,000 Community Legacy Grant from the State to assist in the design and construction of an eight (8) foot wide asphalt hiker biker trail along the west side of North Summit Avenue from Odend'hal Avenue to Park Avenue

Plans and specifications were prepared by the Public Works Department and the project was advertised for bids on June 28, 2006. Bids were opened July 12, 2006. The following bidders responded:

Romano Concrete	\$ 92,740
D&F Construction, Inc.	\$105,000
Fort Myer Construction Corporation	\$142,860

Staff's estimate was \$85,480. Staff recommends that the bid be awarded to the lowest bidder meeting specifications, Romano Concrete Construction, Inc., 7800 Penn Western Court. Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772. Funding for this project is available in CIP 79-3, Sidewalks, Handicapped Ramps and Bike Pathways.

DESIRED OUTCOME:

Vote on Resolution

Resolution Request Form

REQUEST FORM FOR RESOLUTIONS PERTAINING TO EXPENDITURES FROM THE CITY BUDGET (CONTRACTS/PURCHASES, TRANSFER FUNDS)

(Please attach the Mayor and Council Agenda Cover Sheet to this Form. For contracts/purchases, the Cover Sheet MUST include a list of all bidders and bid amounts.) Requested by: _____ James D. Arnoult ____ Date of City Council Meeting: July 17, 2006 **AUTHORIZING** Negotiate/ Purchase ____ Award Contract _X__ Transfer Funds ____ Execute a Contract ____ **BID INFORMATION:** June 28, 2006 Advertisement Date Gaithersburg Gazette Newspaper(s) July 12, 2006 Bids Opened/Tabulated (date) DESCRIPTION OF ITEM(S): (Be specific; include quantity, item name, model number, etc.) Construct an 8 foot wide hiker biker trail on North Summit Ave from Odend'hal Ave. to Park Ave. CONTRACTED/PURCHASE FROM: Romano Concrete Construction, Inc. Company Name: 7800 Penn Western Court Street Address: P. O. Box Number_____ Upper Marlboro, MD 20772 City/State/Zip: CONTRACT/PURCHASE AMOUNT: \$92,740 In the Estimated Amount of __X__Not to Exceed ____ Check One: FUNDS TO BE EXPENDED FROM: Operating Budget ____ Capital Improvements Budget _X___ Account Number: CIP #79-3 Sidewalks, Handicap Ramps and Bike Pathways (For Finance Department use only; not to be included in the Resolution) Available ____ Not available ____ VERIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

RESOLUT	TON NO.	

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT TO CONSTRUCT A HIKER BIKER TRAIL ON NORTH SUMMIT AVENUE

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WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council have determined to award a contract to the lowest bidder meeting City specifications:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of Gaithersburg, that the City Manager be and he hereby is authorized to award a contract for the construction of a hiker biker trail to Romano Concrete Construction, Inc., 7800 Penn Western Court, Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772, in the amount of Ninety-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Dollars (\$92,740); said funds to be expended from the Capital Improvements Budget.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council this 17th day of July, 2006.

SIDNEY A. KATZ, MAYOR and President of the Council

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